



## Dr. Palmer Speaks To Women

"Responsibilities on the Job After Graduation" was the topic of Dr. Rose Palmer, chairman of the Secretarial Science Department, Borough of Manhattan Community College, in an appearance as guest speaker for secretarial students and women enrolled in the Job Horizons Program. Dr. Palmer spoke on "Professionalism as a Preparation for the Job".

While appearing before the Job Horizons class Dr. Palmer also stressed "Managing Your Time". She gave sound advice on methods to combine the management of a home with an active business career.

Dr. Palmer has had extensive teaching experience at secondary schools and community colleges in New York. She also serves as consultant to the Urban League Secretarial Program, Board of Education, City of New York, Rockland Community College and Mercer Community College.

During her visit to MCC campus, Dr. Palmer conferred with Michael J. Reynolds, Dean of Students; Dr. Sidney Simon, Chairman of the Business Department, and other members of the secretarial staff.

## Future Faculty Appointments

Three officials of the Middlesex County College participated in a four-day-in-depth study of the operations of a comparable two-year college in New York State the week of March 13.

Dean of Instruction James F. Gilson, Dean of Students Michael J. Reynolds and Director of Administrative Services William R. Walsh, Jr. participated in the case study at Mohawk Valley Community College in Utica, New York.

The program offered extensive study of the Mohawk Valley Community College facilities and operations. The group was briefed on all phases of the college's functions by staff members and Dr. Albert Payne, the New York College's President. Topics covered include business operations, curriculum, finance and budgetary methods, faculty policy, capital construction programs, transfer and career programs and student personnel services.

Directing the case study is Dr. Finla G. Crawford representing the Middle States Association. Dr. Crawford is also the Middle States Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools consultant to Middlesex County College.

## Three Join Nursing Faculty

Three new faculty members will fill key posts in the Middlesex County College's Department of Nurse Education in time for the opening of the College's second full year of operation in September.

Miss Stephanie C. Basara of 21 Erie Street, Elizabeth, will join the faculty as associate professor of nursing. She received her bachelor of science degree in the teaching of nursing, and master's degree in curriculum and teaching from Columbia University and has taken additional studies at Rutgers University.

Mrs. Carol Ann Murtaugh of 170 Lake Shore Drive, Lake Kiawatha, will join the County College faculty as assistant professor of nursing.

Mrs. Murtaugh received her nursing diploma from Jersey City Medical Center and her bachelor of science degree in nursing and master's degree in public health nursing from New York University. She is presently a candidate for her doctorate at N.Y.U.

Doris A. Geyer of 33 Hamilton Street, Rahway, is a new nursing education instructor.

She received her bachelor of science degree in nursing from Seton Hall University and master's degree in education, medical-surgical-nursing teaching from Columbia University.

FULL-TIME STUDENTS AT MIDDLESEX COUNTY COLLEGE WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO REGISTER WITHOUT THE AUTHORIZATION MEMORANDUM.

## Summer Session

The 1967 Summer Session of Middlesex County College will open Monday, June 26, 1967. It will encompass an 8-week evening session (June 26-August 18), a 6-week day session (June 26-August 5), and two 4-week day sessions for languages and development courses (June 26-July 21 and July 24-August 18). No classes will be held on July 3 and 4.

All students who have failed courses must make up these deficiencies in Summer Session. In addition, those who need to lighten the course load of the senior year may request permission to take a senior course during the summer.

Summer Session courses may be considered also by students who wish to take additional course work beyond that required by a specific curriculum. Anyone who intends to transfer to a four-year institution is encouraged to review carefully the freshman and sophomore requirements at the college he plans to enter as a junior.

Full-time students at Middlesex County College who wish to attend the 1967 Summer Session should follow the procedures listed below in order to register for courses:

1. Obtain the form entitled Request for Permission to Attend Summer Session from the Registrar's Office.
2. Complete the form and submit it to your Department Chairman for his approval (Liberal Arts students may submit form to either Mr. Douglas or Mr. Elan).
3. Return the form to the Registrar's Office.
4. The Registrar will mail to your home the authorization to take the course and the necessary registration materials.
5. Complete the registration forms according to the instructions contained therein.
6. If you register by mail (May 29-June 16), send the materials along with the Authorization to Attend Summer Session to Mr. Peter K. Mills, Director of the Summer Session. If you plan to register in person (June 19 and June 20), be prepared to present all the forms at that time.

Students who cannot attend the Middlesex County College Summer Session and plan to register at another accredited institution should follow the same procedures #1 through #3. They should also be prepared to submit course descriptions upon request. The Registrar will then forward a letter of authorization to the Director of Summer Session at the college you plan to attend.

Students who study at other colleges during the summer are responsible for having a transcript of their work forwarded to the Registrar at the completion of the course.

# Quo Vadis

## A FORUM FOR IDEAS

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## Mr. Maugle Accepts Position Student Personnel Service

A new concept leading to closer administration contact with students and their problems has been launched by the Middlesex County College in Edison.

Dean of Students, Michael J. Reynolds announced the addition to the Student Personnel Services staff of Kenneth B. Maugle as student personnel generalist.

Under the new program, Dean Reynolds said, Maugle will be responsible for specific duties relating to student activities. As a generalist, Maugle will work in all areas directly affecting students, including registration, admissions, counseling, financial aid and general student activities.

Maugle holds the rank of instructor, and received his bachelor's degree in education and psychology from Barrington College and is currently taking graduate work in guidance and student personnel services at Rutgers University. He will receive his master's degree in June.

## Come One And All

The Social Committee invites all MCC students to help plan the campus activities for the spring semester. The meetings are held every Tuesday, at 4 p.m. in the main lounge of the Student Union.

There are approximately 15-20 members, but any student wishing to join or contribute his ideas is welcome. The purpose of the Social Committee is to sponsor dances and other activities to make "life at MCC" more enjoyable to all the students. The Committee is now working on a Spring formal, which is supposed to be held on Friday May 12, at the Essex House in Newark.

There are a number of committees that interested students can join. These include publicity - bands - decorations - and refreshments. Show your school spirit and "find out what's happening" at MCC---Join the Social Committee!

All persons interested in working with the Committee, contact Cindy Heite - chairman, or Mr. Hornich - advisor.

The traditions committee of the Student Government has announced the acceptance of the School Ring. The ring for this class and all classes to follow will be the signet ring with the sy, the signet ring with the symbol of Middlesex County College. The rings will arrive shortly.

## Administrators Attend In-Depth-Study

Three faculty appointments in the area of administration, English and business have been made by the Middlesex County College for the new term starting in September.

The appointments approved by the College's Board of Trustees include the addition of Ramond E. Babineau of Lake Hopatcong as assistant to Dean Gilson.

Babineau will serve as director of instructional media with the academic rank of instructor.

He received his bachelor's degree in social studies and master's degree in educational administration from Montclair State College and is at present a candidate for his doctorate at Lehigh University.

Ernest Albrecht of 717 Cranbury Cross Road, North Brunswick, will join the faculty as English instructor in September.

He received his bachelor of science degree in English and speech from Rutgers University and master's in theater and dramatic literature from Northwestern University, in addition to taking additional graduate studies there.

John J. Hoover of 425 Rosehill Place, Elizabeth, is a new instructor in business administration. His background includes three years teaching at the secondary school level and five years as supervisor of cost planning for the U.S. Steel Corp.

Anything one man can imagine, other men make real.



# ARE YOU SERIOUS?

Are the students at Middlesex County College taking College seriously? Many of their actions deny that they are. Students seem to consider free hours to be an opportunity to flee to lunches or go shopping. In the cafeteria, the student union, and even in the student government and newspaper offices students laugh away their tuitions. They laugh off tests and grades as though the jokes are on someone else; skipping classes has become a convenience to their moods, and studying is almost extinct in some circles.

Those students mostly at fault are in the Liberal Arts Curriculum. Perhaps these students lack a goal or definite end and feel as if they are just passing the time until they decide what they really want to do.

We realize the pressures and confusions that face today's students but if students are going to survive the pressures they must at least realize that the problems exist.

Students have complained that MCC provides little if any social life yet many of these unsatisfied scholars do nothing but socialize. Students have become so concerned with benefits, vacations, pleasures, and parties that they have practically forgotten why they are at MCC.

## Tutoring Service

It has come to our attention that many students are suffering in their particular courses because they lack knowledge of basic fundamentals and are in need of a more individual meeting with the subject material. Teachers are available at frequent intervals in order to aid these students but the student may not be able to establish enough of a rapport with the teacher so that the instructor can learn the student's problem. So as a result of a suggestion brought forth by Dr. Llorens, Quo Vadis would like to see the introduction of a student tutoring service.

Those students who are highly familiar with a course and have a good command of the material would be able to tutor the underachievers. The benefits of such a system

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## CUT!

Students are pacing up and down the halls complaining about the cut system or the lack of one. The administration has decided that there will not be any unexcused cuts---tempers flared and students protested, "We are paying to come, what right has the administration to tell us that we have to be in a certain class???!!"

We think it is a shame that such a needless controversy has arisen at all. If a student is ill, his third cousin on his grandmother's side dies, or his car has a nervous breakdown on the way to school---his or her teacher will excuse the student and the student will not suffer negative points. These misfortunes have physically prevented the student from making his class and this is excusable but the administration feels compelled to set up laws for students who are seduced by the sun or carried away by the roar of the surf.

Many students who have come to college because they supposedly desire an education and want to learn have completely forgotten that they are paying for each hour in order to educate themselves and achieve a goal. The Government "made" them come to school until they were 16; after that the students need not have bothered. If students would rather not be students they do not need to cut classes; they should stay away from school entirely.

The only complaint Quo Vadis has with the present Cut System is that it suggests that students must come to classes. If these fun-loving individuals would rather be on the beach... then we think that the administration should refund their tuitions so that the ex-students can build a grass hut overlooking the surf at Malibu.

# MAILBOX

Dear Editor;

In an article in the March issue of Quo Vadis, "An American Life", the author comes out sharply against the involvement of American Soldiers in Vietnam. I should like to consider some of the points made and the value of those points. In the first paragraph the author asserts that the United States has a duty to support a country in the cause of "International Democracy", if that country is in danger of being overthrown by tyranny. However he confines that support to armament, health, and food. It would seem reasonable to assume that any country deserving of our assistance to that extent is one that in all conscience we could not permit to fall without first offering our lives in their behalf. Benjamin Franklin once stated that "either we all hang together or we all hang separately." It certainly does not take much foresight to see that a policy of isolationism would cause the picking off of Democracies one by one.

Further down in the article the author implies that those men that enlist in the army apparently are willing to die in the name of hate, murder, blood, and battle. This is a frivolous irresponsible statement, insulting to those who have given their lives and will continue to do so in the name of liberty so that others may live; to damn them in print without fear of retribution.

Later the author restates the well known and well respected argument that the Nuremberg Trials should have taught us that men do not blindly go out and commit mass murders and then expect pardon because they were acting in accordance with orders from superiors. The parallel is at best highly questionable. We, a country represented by majority rule, duly represented by our lawfully elected officials are making no attempt to perpetrate aggression or genocide. We are fighting so that Democracy may survive not

only for ourselves but for our fellowman. If the author believes that a man need not serve in the armed services if he disagrees with the policy of this country he is simply calling for anarchy. I need only refer him to history to see the results of that policy.

One last point, the author states that our president insists that it right to obey orders even if they are against an individuals beliefs. I would truly like to see the preceding statement in a quote by the President or any President of the United States. I should appreciate it if at the earliest possible time the author provide me with the source of the allegation.

What is happening to the youth of this nation that they attempt to dodge the support of their country? Serving this country should not be looked on as a duty or an obligation, but as a privilege---a privilege to follow in the footsteps of the many living or dead defenders of "Life, Liberty, and the Pursuit of Happiness," which is the foundation and goal of our country.

(Editor's Note. . . . . Dying in Vietnam is the end of "LIFE", the threat of being drafted is a violation of our "LIBERTY", and killing in Vietnam when it is against one's principles is a tall barrier against "THE PURSUIT OF HAPPINESS".)

Editorial page: All comments stated on this page...unless otherwise designated...are the opinions of the Quo Vadis editorial board.

Dear Editor;

In answer to the editorial, "Who's Minding The Store".... you ask, "What has this government done?" If the newspaper staff read its own paper it would know what the student government has done. The front page carries two references to recent actions by the student government. The

last page has a detailed list of all recent senate actions.

You ask, "Where it it?" The student government meets every Monday in the blue room of the College Union from 4 PM until 5:30 PM. If a person wishes to contact a senator all he need do is place a letter in that senators' mailbox. Anyone who wishes to attend these meetings may do so.

You ask, "What is It?" It is a group of students who are interested in the affairs of the student body. These students spend a great amount of time and effort with the senate, on committees, and other functions of the student government.

It is unfair and insulting to the members of the student government for the newspaper staff to take this sort of attitude. Because it shows a lack of interest in reporting factual news.

The newspaper has the right to print any controversial article or opinion. But it has an obligation to its readers to see that what is written is true and not written for sensationalism.

Signed,  
Senator McCormick ET,  
Senator Onuska LA, Senator Van Dzuco LA, Senator Perine ET, Senator Alison Arnold, Senator Marvin Carroll PT, Secretary Peggy Thompson, Senator Nibel ES, Ronald Fereo BT, Gerard Connolly BT, Richard Toth CH.

(Editor's Note. . . . . It took the newspaper to tell the student body what, where, and how the Student Government was doing. We are glad the secret is out and we shall continue to inform the students on everything the Student Government is and is not doing.)

Dear Editor;

Having read the last issue of Quo Vadis I found that I am in agreement with the article entitled "Who's Minding the Store". On one recent occasion I voiced my opinion in agreement to two of our Senators in the government office and was greatly insulted and irritated by one of their responses. Our lady Senator said, "you are a shining example; who are you to talk?" I will tell her and all the other senators who I am. I am an interested student who has taken an active part in the development of campus life but even if I were not I would still feel irritated. I would like to know what gives our Senate or our Senators the right to speak that way to any student at MCC, whether he be active or not and what puts them above criticism from any legitimate quarter. I demand an apology and a promise that incidents like this will not happen again.

I realize the amount of work that has been put in by the individuals in government but the government on the whole has not done enough. I am not blaming just the Senate but the student body in general. It is the duty of the student body to let it be known what it needs and wants and to criticize where and when it feels necessary. It is the responsibility of the Senate and the other branches of the student organization to pay heed to the voice of the students, whether they ask for something or offer criticism and to follow through in the best interest of the student body as a whole.

Our elected officials asked to be our leaders, I feel it is about time for them to start leading.

Arthur Goodman

# Quo Vadis

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# COMMENTARY

## Music

The most difficult thing one can do when talking about the phenomenal Lovin' Spoonful is to try to categorize their brand of music. The tunes born from the pen of the leader of the Spoonful, John Sebastian, speak of warm sunny mornings, good times, and down-home simplicity. Fine, but where does that lead us?? To find out, we must start from the best of all places--the beginning.

The Lovin' Spoonful is a versatile quartet consisting of John Sebastian, the leader, background guitarist (who plays a very rare Les Paul guitar), autoharpist and lead singer. Lead guitarist for the group is Zal, "Zally" Yanovsky who can be recognized by his rubberized facial expressions, and general lack of restraint when on stage. The bassist and piano player calls himself Steve Boone. The drummer is none other than Joe Butler who acts as if he knows what's going on when the Spoonful goes through its paces. When asked why he plays the drums he will reply that everyone in the village played anything but the drums, so he devoted himself to the skins in order to compensate for the shortage of percussionists.

The Lovin' Spoonful is a product of Greenwich Village, where the boys all met, talked and combined their efforts to form the third most talked-about group on the music scene. First and second place belong to the Beatles and the Rolling Stones, respectively, who actually made it big playing American Rock & Roll, so there is really very little about them one can call original, not even the hair. Remember, Greenwich Village is the rightful birthplace of the so-called long hair movement.

So what have we got--an original group with an honest straight-forward act, and a groovy way of life.

Why not have a listen to one of their LP's? All are on the Kama Sutra label--"Hums of the Lovin' Spoonful," "Best of the Lovin' Spoonful," and "The Lovin' Spoonful".

## Television

Are you tired of waiting for your favorite group, singer, or comic to appear on the Ed Sullivan Show, tired of trying to outsmart "Big Eddie" at his waiting game? Or do you sit through the whole show watching Bolshoi ballets, twisting tumblers, jolly jugglers, frenzied fire-eaters, new comics, ancient comics, and Ed's old friends, to find your group has only three minutes to sing "your" song?

The only way is to unite and beat the grand olde master at his own game. Watch only the first thirty minutes of his show, this way cutting down on circus acts and Ed's old friends. The chances are that the first half usually will include your favorite group singing one song.

You may ask, "What will I do for the next unfilled thirty minutes, study on a Sunday?" No, but watch a lively comedy on another network.

At eight thirty, Sunday night on NBC (or for those of you who only know channel numbers--four) there is a new generation comedy--Hey, Landlord! The premise of this show is concerned with the adventures of a young bachelor, Woody Banner (Will Hutchins) from the mid-west who inherits a brownstone apartment building on the East Side. He and his friend, Chuck Hookstratton (Sandy Baron) attempt to carry out such landlord functions as collecting rent, fixing leaky sinks, and keeping the building from being condemned. They try to support themselves while striving for better things; Woody is a struggling writer as Chuck tries out comic routines and keeping his unemployment check. Sally Fields plays Bonnie Banner, Woody's confused teenage sister with problems like you wouldn't believe. Residing at the brownstone is Mr. Jack Ellinhorn (Michael Constine), a typical Jewish hypochondriac, who guides the boys and is misguided by the boys in their unusual predicaments. Other tenants include a weather girl, who is otherwise a dumb redhead.

If you want to wade through countless vaudvillian acts to find entertainment watch Ed Sullivan, but if you want comic entertainment that's first-rate watch Hey, Landlord!

### OFF CAMPUS CALENDAR

- April 18th -- 8:30 -- Muddy Waters and His Blues Band  
Rutgers University Concert
- April 21st -- 8:00 -- Darling (1965)  
Julie Christie  
McCarter Theater, Princeton
- April 28th -- 8:00 -- Johnny Mathis Concert  
Monmouth College Gym  
Spring Weekend Concert  
West Long Branch, N.J.

## FACULTY SOUND-OFF



Congratulations are certainly in order to the persons responsible for the design of the school seal. I would like to point out some of the implications of this design.

The Book of Knowledge, and the atom, a symbol of energy are so intimately linked together that it is difficult to separate them. Together, they form a meaningful unity.

This unity can only be understood when each component is studied individually. Let us consider first the Book of Knowledge, a true symbol of education, a faithful representation of the students and faculty at Middlesex County College. By a simple extension of this thought we may say

Education is Middlesex County College.

Reducing this farther, we get,  $E = MC^2$

Let's consider the second symbol; the atom, which is symbolic of Energy. From Energy our thoughts turn to Albert Einstein, who is probably best known for his Principle of Relativity, which he published in 1905. One of the most important implications of this principle of special relativity is the equivalence of Mass and Energy. In its most common form, it is expressed as:

Energy = Mass x the square of the velocity of light  
The accepted symbol for the velocity of light is the letter "C" and thus we express Energy as:  
 $E = MC^2$

Now I assert that:

Education = Middlesex County College

This discussion has I think, two points of relevance. It has pointed out the meaning behind the school symbol and has provided a focal point for the generation of school spirit. In our vicinity there are three Junior Colleges whose name also reduces to the formula "MC". But Middlesex County College is the FIRST. Let us continue to be first in creative education through energy by adopting as our slogan -- The Big "E" -- educational excellence, and energetic education.

Mr. Dineen

The Social committee has announced plans for a "Hobo Hop" to be held Friday evening April 14 at the Campus theater. The theme of this affair is the Hobo and the social committee requests that students dress in line with this. Dancing begins at 8:00.



DR. LLORENS

Dr. James A. Llorens came to Middlesex hoping to initiate the use of programming material to enable students to have valuable factual background necessary for meaningful study and confident viewpoints. He also supports extra-curricular activities and is in the process of forming a history club and debate team.

Born in the Spanish Pyrenees, Dr. Llorens claims the heritage of the Catalane; activity, activity, and more activity. He came to New York at the age of twelve where he attended grade school; graduated from North Denver High in three years; earned his B.S. and M.A. at Colorado College and Columbia University. He completed his graduate work at Princeton and Harvard where he earned his way as a research assistant. For his Ph.D. thesis on the Royal Finances of the Spanish Empire Dr. Llorens worked in Argentina, Peru and the Spanish Archives where he received fellowships from the Spanish Government.

Dr. Llorens enjoys teaching graduate work and honor courses. He likes Irish coffee, raising roses, philosophy and browsing in his three thousand book library. He is proud of his association with MCC and feels that the student body is appreciative and eager to learn.

## Poet's Corner

### CLASSICLY YOURS

Nature mother, your fawns innocently play  
In your meadows of green grasses and golden flowers  
The daring winds ride majestically  
Through your kingdom--unhindered.

My spirit is with you;  
Running through a paradise of soft  
Innocent kisses  
And passionate embraces  
--of the life I love.

But mother, you Shaker society, I'm bodily  
Chained to your world--  
Where you becloud your Mr. Hydes  
Behind bright neon signs of virtue

Oh will my real mother please stand up??

Lena

## Job Opportunity Knocks

The Business Club has announced the formation of a Job Opportunity Program. This program has been started to meet the need of summer employment for the students of MCC. The Job Opportunity Program is a program by which the Business Club contacts different business in the area to find job openings, it then in turn matches the job with a student who has registered with the club.

Interested students may register in room 310, during regular class session. Registration fee is one dollar.

## Inquiring Photographer

The question for this issue is, "Since September, how has your attitude toward Middlesex County College changed?"



Lab. Tech.-Karen Rodgers, "At first I thought the college wasn't worthwhile and it wouldn't give us any accreditation, but now I realize that MCC is developing into a good college."



Liberal Arts- Keith Wohltman, "It turned out better than I thought it would. I thought it would be a "super-high school" but it turned out to be a college."



Business Administration- Melvin Hazell, "I realize that MCC is a new school and its full potential has not yet been tapped. The school is much harder than I expected."



Pre-Tech-'66-Conrad Forman, "When I came here I didn't expect the standards to be as high as they were. I have been favorably impressed."



Electrical Tech.- Tom Debeck, I came here expecting to find a fairly good school, and it has surpassed my expectations. Of course, there is still room for improvement."



**QUO VADIS URGES YOU TO TAKE AN ACTIVE ROLE IN YOUR STUDENT COUNCIL FOR YOUR GOOD AND FOR THE GOOD OF THE COLLEGE. HERE IS A LIST OF YOUR STUDENT COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES: THEY CAN BE LOCATED IN THE STUDENT UNION.**

**LIBERAL ARTS:** Ron Klep-  
penger, Mary Anne Onuska,  
Kurt Perry, Mike VonDzura,  
Keith Wohltman.

**BUSINESS TECH:** Gerald  
Connolly, Ronald Ferro,  
Melvin Hazell, Paul Jaffe.

**NURSE EDUCATION:** Pat  
Creevey, Theresa Onuska,  
Pat Patonay.

**PRE-TECH:** Maren Carroll,  
Helen Keller.

**ELECTRICAL TECH:** Mike  
McCormick, Harry Perrine,  
engineering science;  
Harold Nickel.

**LAB TECH:** Linda Aires,  
**CHEMICAL TECH:** Richard  
Toth.

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Arnold.

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dall.

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kowski.

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pson.

**STUDENT SENATE MEET-  
INGS:** Every Monday, 4 p.m.  
in the Blue Room at the Col-  
lege Union.

**social committee; Ev-  
ery Tuesday, 4 p.m. at the  
College Union.**

**EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE:**  
Every Thursday, 4 p.m. at  
the College Union.

## MASQUE, CAPE & CURTAIN PREPARE NEW SHOW

Stephen T.A. Renda, director of the Masque, Cape, and Curtain, the drama society of Middlesex County College, today announced the cast for the forthcoming production of the group which will consist of:

"An Evening of One-Act Plays," composed of "The Poker Night" by Tennessee Williams, "The Palmer Way" by Nicholas E. Baehr, and "The Man With a Flower in His Mouth" by Luigi Pirandello.

The Cast for "The Poker Night" features Rich Bennett as Stanley Kowalski, Jo Ann MacCallister as Blanch Dubois, Jerry Levitt as Mitch, Sharon Nelson as Stella Kowalski, Art Goodman as Steve Hubbell, Mark Sherman as Pablo Gonzalez, and Peggy Thompson as Eunice.

Appearing in "The Palmer Way" will be Barry Bocchieri as Joe Breene, Dennis Bogdan as George Mumford, Linda Batren as Ellen Mumford, Jerry Levitt as Mr. Cooper and Alison Arnold as Mrs. Cooper.

Barry Bocchieri as "The Man" and Bob Boardman as "The Commuter" comprise the cast of "The Man With The Flower in His Mouth."

This will be the second production of the new group and will be presented at the Campus Theater on May 19 and 20 at 8:30 p.m.

Tickets will be available at the Student Activities Office of the Middlesex County College and from cast members.

## Ski Club Holds Dance

The Middlesex County College Ski Club sponsored a dance, Friday March 31, at the Student Theatre from 8:00 to 12:00. The dance was organized by the Ski Club Committee composed of Joann Guinnance, Maureen Scholz, Ronald Kleppinger, Janet Leib, and Robert Engelhart.

Entertainment was provided by "The Jades" from the Middlesex area. Birch beer and pretzels were served.

## OPEN LETTER TO STUDENTS

Dear Students:

In a recent issue of Quo Vadis, the poor condition of Mill Road, as well as campus roads, was very appropriately pointed out. I will take this opportunity to update you on the rapid developments that are happening on our campus.

Last week Mr. Walsh, our Director of Administrative Services, called the Edison Township Road Engineer to discuss the condition of Mill Road. The engineer, Mr. Zimmerman, explained that he was giving immediate attention to making temporary repairs on the road. On the other hand, Mr. Zimmerman explained that Mill Road would have to have extensive new surfacing and that the Township did not have sufficient monies in its budget to undertake the work at this time. Mr. Zimmerman is concerned about the condition and will recommend more permanent surfacing for Mill Road in the next fiscal budget of the Township.

We are trying to arrange for the roadway to be scraped immediately inside of Gate #3, and I hope that this will improve the condition at that point. I have been reluctant to give too much attention to the roads because of the impending changes which are about to happen to the campus at this time.

After much intensive work by our architect, and extensive meetings to bring about the necessary supporting financial funds, I can now report to you that site work in the amount of over one million dollars will begin within the next week. The site work will include a new gate and entranceway at gate #2; extensive sidewalks throughout the campus, a permanent lighting system for the entire campus; new parking lots, and resurfacing of old parking lots with painted lines; athletic fields, including tennis courts, baseball diamond and soccer field. The area south of the gymnasium will be seeded and graded and will do much to beautify the campus.

There will be an extensive change in the roadway system and the installation of much underground utilities that will connect the new buildings.

There will be an extensive change in the roadway system and the installation of much underground utilities that will connect the new buildings. This part of the project will call for understanding on your part because traffic will have to be rerouted frequently in order to insure that work on the new buildings will proceed without interruption while the site work is underway.

The terms of our contract for the site work call for substantial completion by the first of August. It is anticipated that the Fall orientation period will begin about September 25th. This late start will insure that there is sufficient time to occupy the buildings and to receive the equipment needed for instruction.

There is a great deal of planting and seeding that may not take place until Fall, when the natural season for planting gives the best assurance that new grass and trees will take root.

I regret if there has been any misunderstanding that has developed because I have not kept you informed of these new developments. The uncertainty of being able to obtain funds and the rapidity with which we have had to make changes have made it difficult to communicate information. I do look forward to next year when the campus will have a much more settled appearance. There will also be opportunity for me to talk with the entire staff and student group in facilities provided by our new gymnasium. I am sure you find the spirit of change exciting and I appreciate the patience that has been exercised by everyone during this present year.

Sincerely yours,  
Frank M. Chambers,  
President

## SPRING FORMAL

Attention all MCC students! The first spring formal for the college is being planned, by the Social Committee. The Essex House has been reserved for the occasion. The time will extend from 8:30 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. A dinner plus a ten piece orchestra and one hour of entertainment are offered for an enjoyable evening. Bids will go on sale shortly with the price approximately \$15 per couple. Make arrangements soon for the biggest social event on the MCC campus.

## Fine Arts Committee Plans FAC-Probes

The Fine Arts Committee has announced the beginning of its Fac-Probes. These Fac-Probes will consist of three theater excursions to New York. The first scheduled theater party will be for Funny Girl on Saturday April 22. Tickets for students will be half priced, and students will be allowed one guest at full price. Free bus transportation has been provided by the college. A future theater party is planned for Friday June 2. This will be for the comedy, "Star Spangled Girl." A third the-

ater trip will be arranged if there is demand enough.

The Fine Arts Committee also announced a four day excursion to Montreal for Expo-67. The cost to the students is \$65, and this will include transportation, hotel, entrance into the fair and sideline tours. The club will leave from this campus on Thursday June 15, and return on Sunday June 20. Anyone interested should sign up immediately at the student union for there will only be a limited number allowed to go on the trip. Ten days before any event the tickets will be put on sale for the faculty and administration.

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are many: a better understanding could be established within the student body itself, the underachiever could enjoy the tutoring of an individual of his own age, and the student-tutor would enrich his own knowledge of the course and of the problems surrounding others.

Quo Vadis would appreciate any response from the student body in reference to the tutoring service. We feel that the growth of a tutoring agency would fill in many of the gaps between small student cliques and aid the growth of school spirit.

## CAMPUS SPORTS

Director of Athletics, Mr. Richard Flynn, attended a meeting of the Athletic Directors of Region 15 of the National Junior athletic Association, (NJCAA), in Baltimore, Maryland, March 2 thru March 4. At this meeting, the Athletic Directors, who represented Region 15, the region that Middlesex County College is a part of, discussed rule changes, policies and problems. They also heard reports on tournaments and discussed where and when future tournaments will be held.

Middlesex County College will participate in soccer and basketball next year. The teams are scheduled to face the following opponents in their first year of competition: Cumberland, Orange, Concordia Junior, Suffolk Community, Ocean Community, Rockland, Ulster, Staten Island, Bronx, Mercer and Sullivan.

The Christmas Holiday Basketball Tournament is scheduled to take place at Orange Community College.

With the return of the student body after the Spring vacation, we can look forward to the Intramural Sports Program getting underway. All students interested in the Program should check for daily information on Intramural Sports which will be posted on the bulletin board outside the faculty lounge in the classroom building.

The Intramural Sports Program is looking for leaders and game officials. People with or without experience are eagerly invited to participate and to help in establishing a sound Intramural Program.

On April 19, at 2:00 p.m., in Room 313 of the classroom building, there will be a meeting for those candidates interested in playing on the soccer team.